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CHILLY WILLY

The first District gathering of the season will be Chilly Willy on January 14 at the Garden Patch Restaurant at 100 Southland Drive just off Hwy 341 in Barnesville. Those coming from the south can follow US Hwy 341 from Perry for a beautiful ride or come to Barnesville via Hwy 36 from I-75. Feasting will begin at 10:45. For those who did not make it last year, this restaurant serves buffet style with lots of vegetables, meat, dessert. The cost of the meal includes a selection of 4 meats, 7 or 8 vegetables, and 2 or 3 desserts along with a salad bar and drink. What a deal!! Remember, it doesn't matter if you come on 2, 3, or 4 wheels....just come!



CHAPTER DIRECTORS MEETING & TRAINING

After the meal, the Officers Conference will be held at the Holiday Inn in Forsyth. If your Chapter treasury is strong enough, Chapter funds can be used to help offset expenses. You can call 1-478-994-5691 to make reservations at the Holiday Inn...let them know you are with the Georgia GWRRA. The room rate includes 2 full breakfasts. Rider Ed. And Chapter Treasurers will meet Sat. only. CDs will finish on Sunday. **It is IMPERATIVE** that the CD or ACD attend this meeting to receive all the updates from the National Of-

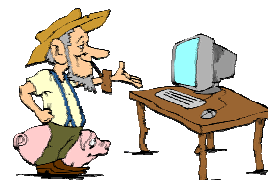


fice in Phoenix. The meeting will begin about 1:30 p.m. on Saturday following the meal in Barnesville. Rider Educators and Treasurers will finish on Saturday. Chapter Directors and their Assistants will continue over to Sunday morning.

CD CHECKLIST FOR MEETING (or what you need to bring!)

1. Self, assistant, rider educator, treasurer
2. Chapter chartering fees (if not already paid)
3. Check to pay for \$500 tickets (if not paid)
4. **Financial report due as quickly after Jan. 1 as possible**
5. Activity requests for 2006

Remember, CDs, if you are stepping down, you must fill out the financial reports and Chapter inventory sheet, sign it and hand all Chapter property over to the new Chapter Director. All forms, etc. can be found in the Officer's Guidebook or on the Officer's CD given to you last January. If you have any questions, please give us or your Asst. District Director a call.



"Look, piglet!" Santa done brought us a new 'puter....how ya reckon he knowed we needed one?"

Have You Heard? National GWRRA's gift to membership !!!

This is not only good news, this is GREAT news and it could not have happened at a better time!

And just what is this great news I am talking about, you ask? Well, National GWRRA working with National Rider Education, has given those members that are enrolled in, or will be enrolled in the Rider Education Level program, a very welcome present. As you all know, you must renew your Rider Education Level (Level II, III and IV) each year. Well, National GWRRA's present to each and every member enrolled in the Rider Education Program is, **NO MORE RENEWAL FEES!!** Yep, you heard right! No more renewal fees to worry about, and for the Level IV folks, that is a really good saving. It isn't bad for the rest of us either . . .



So, how does this work? Very simply. You fill out your renewal paperwork (your CE has the new forms), making sure all of the requirements needed for your level are up-to-date, give it to your Chapter Educator, and he will in turn, forward it to the District Educator. All done.

Along with that great news, Anne and I would like to wish each and everyone of you a Safe and Happy Holiday Season. We are looking forward to seeing everyone next year. Be safe out there . . .

And as always, always be watchful for the unwatchful . . .

RHSF, Chuck and Anne Reed

Georgia District Educators

GA Traveler's Plaque is up for grabs on Jan. 7 at 6 p.m. in Dublin. GA-A2 has the honor of giving it a starting point for 2006. Remember, during January and February, you may travel on 4 wheels to capture the District and the Region plaques.

CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY is extended to the following families:



Gary & Shirley Verhulst on the passing of his brother, Paul, in November.

Sid & Donna Cohen on the death of her mother.

(These are the names we were aware of at press time.)

Region A Traveler's Plaque will be up for grabs by GA-D at 12 noon on Jan. 21 at Fire Mountain Restaurant, Browns Bridge Rd., Gainesville. The eating begins at 11. Contact Sherrel Davis at sherreld@adelphia.net.



2006 DISTRICT COY

The District Staff is pleased to welcome aboard our 2006 District Couple of the Year, Sid and Donna Cohen, from GA-S in Winder. The Cohens have been members of GWRRA since 1997 and are active in many community events as well as GWRRA events. As well, we want to thank Wayne and Nina Carlton who represented GA-V, Hawkinsville, in the District Selection Process for their participation and also, all the other Chapter COYs who came to Wind Down to represent their Chapters.

HILLBILLY HOROSCOPE: CAPRICORN

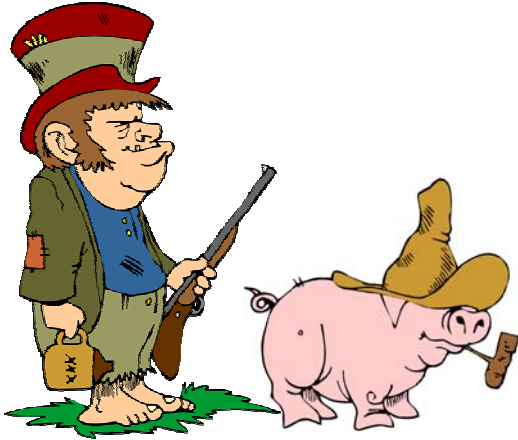
My mama said she wuz settin' me up with a blind date, so I figured she can't see and I'd mess with 'er just a bit. She came in and I start waving' my hands in front of 'er face 'n makin' faces at 'er. I started to moon 'her and mama sez "Roger, what're you doin'?" Turns out, she could see jest fine. Blind date? Don't always believe what people tells ya 'bout someone 'cause it ain't always true. Never thought I'd call my mama a liar!

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2006 Wing Fling Update

Yeeehaaaa! The registrations for 2006 Hill-billy Hoedown Wing Fling are really rolling in!!! Thanks, folks! We are looking forward to a wonderful time in good 'ole Rome. The host hotel, Holiday Inn Skytop, is already accepting reservations (with a registration number, of course)so climb on board the hay wagon! We look forward to great shindig!



2006 Wing Ding will be held in Nashville, TN. GWRRRA International Public Relations Coordinator, June Agee, is seeking anyone with fluency in another language to volunteer his/her expertise during opening and closing ceremonies as well as during the week of Wing Ding. If you would like to help, contact June at nprc@gwrra.org or call her at 309.822.8947. Also, Region A will be responsible for **On-Site Registrations** at Wing Ding. We will need **LOTS OF HELP** for this detail. Contact Rick and Rhonda to sign up.